## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Confirmation No.: 3201 In re: Buttin et al. Application No.: 10/599,023 Group No.: 3662 Filed: July 16, 2007 Examiner:

Ian J. Lobo For: DEVICE FOR EMITTING SEISMIC VIBRATION WAVES

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## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1.	_		r a total period of 1 month to respond to	the
	Office Action date	ed March 7, 2008.		
2.	Applicant is	a small entity;	other than a small entity.	
3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):				
	<b>Total Months</b>	Fee For Other	Fee for	
	Requested	Than Small Entity	Small Entity	
$\boxtimes$	one month	\$120.00	\$60.00	
	two months	\$460.00	\$230.00	
	three months	\$1,050.00	\$525.00	
	four months	\$1,640.00	\$820.00	
	five months*	\$2,230.00	\$1,115.00	
*Ca	nnot be used to exceed six	-month statutory limit for respo	nse to an Official Action.	
	A check in the am	ount of \$ is enclosed		

Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.

All fees are being authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605 when electronically filing

X Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

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